PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, SHIMOGA DISTRICT, HELD IN THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AT SHIMOGA, ON THURSDAY THE 3RD NOVEMBER 1904.

PRESENT.

Ex-Officio Members.

1. Mr. M. S. Narayan Rao, Deputy Commissioner and President.
2. ,, C. Narayan Rao, 1st Assistant Commissioner.
3. ,, K. Mathan, 2nd Assistant Commissioner.
4. ,, B. Krishna Rao, Assistant Commissioner, Sagar.
5. ,, M. Hassan Ali, Treasury Assistant Commissioner and Vice-President.
6. ,, K. Krishna Iyengar, Executive Engineer.
7. ,, W. Sreenivasa Iyengar, District Medical and Sanitary Officer.
8. ,, K. Rangappa, Deputy Inspector of Schools.

Non-Official Members under para 8, clause (d), Representatives of Taluks.

9. Mr. Nadig Seetharamappa, Shimoga.
10. ,, Nadig Gopalappa, Honnali.
11. ,, Salur Hucha Rao, Shikarpur.
12. ,, Hosabale Thimmappa, Sorab.
13. ,, Narasimha Iyengar, Sagar.

Other Representatives under para 8, clause (e).

14. Mr. T. Bhima Rao, Shimoga.
15. ,, Khaji Syed Mahomed, Shimoga.
16. The Rev. Father F. Poulnais, do
17. The Rev. A. E. Nightingale, do
18. Mr. M. Gurusiddappa, Honnali.
19. ,, Veerabasappa, Shikarpur.

ABSENT.

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. Ladi Abdul Kareem, Kumsi Sub-Taluk.
2. ,, Hodigere Adivappa, Channagiri.
3. ,, C. Nagappa, Nagar.
4. ,, Agumbe Lakshminarnappa, Tirthahalli. } Reported inability to attend
5. ,, Kori Hiriyannappa, Sagar. } owing to urgent business.
6. ,, Rattihalli Puttappa, Sagar.

1. Read audited accounts of receipts and disbursements for May and June 1904.

	Receipts. Rs. a. p.	*Disbursements.* Rs. a. p.
Opening balance	70,010 8 0	.....
May ...	4,099 15 5	8,898 14 8
June ...	10,998 14 2	16,240 11 4
Closing balance	.....	59,969 11 7
Total ...	85,109 5 7	85,109 5 7

Recorded.

2. Read Administration Report for 1903-04 and consolidated accounts for the year.

Approved.

3. Read Proceedings of Government No. (457-65)-16-3—L. B. Cir. 2, dated 19th July 1904, regarding the metalling of portions of District Fund roads passing over tank bunds.

Read also statement showing the lengths of such roads received from the Executive Engineer, with his No. 917, dated 2nd November 1904.

The Executive Engineer considers that the road over bunds of Devikoppa tank and Kabbur tank on the Siralkoppa-Hanagal road requires immediate attention. The metalling of these is estimated to cost Rs. 1,350 and 1,144 respectively.

Resolved that these two works be undertaken this year, the rest being taken up in the future as funds permit.

4. Read Proceedings of Government No. 676-7—M. F. 53-93, dated 8th August 1904, regarding the location, as a temporary measure, of the feeding chattram at Benkipur in the musafirkhana of the place.

Resolved that the Board have no objection to the arrangement.

5. Read Secretary's docket No. (3029)-32-3—L. B., dated 7th October 1904, calling for an expression of opinion by the Board of allowing private individuals to make a road from Chikerur to Banavari and permitting them to levy tolls on persons using that road.

Resolved that such permission should, as a matter of principle and public policy, not be given.

6. Read Executive Engineer's No. 725, dated 12th September 1904, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,596 for improving road from Surhonne on the Ayanur-Honnali road to the Town of Nyamti.

Resolved that the estimate be approved and funds be provided for it in a supplemental budget.

7. Read Executive Engineer's No. 709, dated 7th September 1904, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 1,968 for special repairs wanted for the Godekoppa-Kallurkatte road.

Resolved that the estimate be approved of and funds provided for it in a revised budget.

8. Read Executive Engineer's No. 695, dated 4th September 1904, forwarding plan and estimates amounting to Rs. 18,570 for road from Sulekere to Davangere, up to the frontier of the District. The work is provided for in the budget.

Resolved that the estimate be approved.

9. Read Executive Engineer's No. 831, dated 4th October 1904, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 445 for special repairs of road from Kallurkatte to Kollurghat, near Kallurkatte.

Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned.

10. Read Executive Engineer's No. 829, dated 5th October 1904, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 1,000 for putting up railing on the road near the bridge over the Dandavati river.

Resolved that the matter be considered at the next meeting.

11. Read No. 111, dated 29th July 1904, from the President, Nagar Taluk Board, forwarding an estimate amounting to Rs. 276 for repairing Ramachandrapur Matt road.

Resolved that the Executive Engineer be requested to inspect the work and favour the Board with his opinion in the matter.

12. Read No. 71, dated 18th July 1904, from the President, Nagar Taluk Board, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 240 for repairing cart-track from Mumbara to Humchadakatte.

Resolved that the estimate be returned for further details being given of work proposed to be done.

13. Memo by President sending a requisition for Rs. 200 for repairs of furniture in 3rd class travellers' bungalows.

Resolved that the expenditure be met from the provision of Rs. 200 made in the current year's budget under C. Civil Charges—V. Sweepers and care-takers for 3rd class travellers' bungalows, etc., Contingencies.

14. Read No. 675, dated 28th September 1904, from Vice-President, Tirthahalli Taluk Board, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 664 for road to Arga.

Resolved that the Board cannot sanction it.

15. Read No. 197, dated 19th July 1904, from Vice-President, Taluk Board, Tirthahalli, requesting that a 3rd class musafirkhana may be constructed at Goddekoppa on the Anantapur-Tirthahalli road, and stating that a contribution has been promised.

Resolved that the matter be deferred till next meeting.

16. Read No. 341, dated 15th September 1904, from President, Taluk Board, Sagar, requesting that a dispensary be opened at Anantapur.

Read also No. 277, dated 5th September 1904, from the President, Taluk Board, Nagar, on the same subject.

Resolved that the Senior Surgeon be requested to have a dispensary opened at Anantapur and funds be provided in the coming year's budget for the District Fund Board's share of the expenditure wanted.

17. Read No. 326, dated 11th September 1904, from President, Sagar Taluk Board, forwarding 3 estimates amounting to Rs. 815 for repairing wells, etc., on the Kodachadri Hill. The President states that out of these one work estimated to cost Rs. 498 is very urgent.

Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned.

18. Read No. 313, dated 10th September 1904, from President Sagar Taluk Board, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 98 for repairing mantap on Kodachadri Hills.

Sanctioned.

19. Read Nos. 406-407 and 409, dated 5th October 1904, from President, Sorab Taluk Board, forwarding the following estimates:—

		Rs.
1.	Repairing cart-track from Tavanandi to Anavati ...	... 195
2.	Do from Ulvi to Kadasur ...	... 120
3.	Do from Bommanahalli to Jade ...	... 150

The President of the Taluk Board considers that only the 1st two estimates need be sanctioned at present.

Sanctioned accordingly.

20. Read No. 676, dated 29th August 1904, from Executive Engineer, forwarding estimate for Rs. 9,118 for special repairs to the Umblibail-Benkipur road.

Read No. 3046, dated 13th October 1904, from the Conservator of Forests, stating that no contribution can be given for the work.

Resolved that the Conservator be asked to reconsider the matter.

21. Read No. 684, dated 2nd September 1904, from Executive Engineer, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 172 for constructing a tunnel on Anantapur-Tirthahalli road. The work was urgent and the estimate was returned countersigned by the President.

Approved.

22. Read No. 907, dated 25th October 1904, from the Executive Engineer, Shimoga, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 467 for collecting materials for the special repairs of a portion of Anantapur-Tirthahalli road.

Sanctioned.

23. Read No. 878, dated 21st October 1904, from Executive Engineer, forwarding estimate for Rs. 142 for extending sluice, tunnel and constructing causeway on Sulekere-Saslu road.

Sanctioned.

24. Read No. 1017, dated 22nd October 1904, from the President, Shimoga Municipal Board, requesting that the maintenance of the undermentioned roads be taken over by the District Fund Board:—

(1) Road leading from the junction of the Honnali road to the District office and on to meet the Tirthahalli road.

(2) Road from the junction of the Shikarpur road near the District office to the Bola bungalow to join the Sagar road.

Resolved that the Chief Engineer should be asked whether these roads will be taken over by Government for maintenance from Provincial Funds as they are loop lines connecting Provincial roads or a Provincial and a District Fund road.

25. Read Nos. 316 and 317, dated 18th October 1904, from President, Kumsi Taluk Board, forwarding estimates for the following works:—

	Rs.
1. Repairing Kumsi musafirkhana	205
2. Repairing the well in the compound of the musafirkhana at Kumsi	56

Sanctioned.

26. Read Nos. 473-476-477-478 and 479, dated 15th October 1904, from President, Taluk Board, Nagar, forwarding the following estimates:—

	Rs.
(1) Sinking a well near the travellers' bungalow at Nagar ...	287
(2) Repairing Lakshmipur musafirkhana kitchen ...	8
(3) Repairing Hulikal musafirkhana	16
(4) Repairing well at Masarur	46
(5) Do at Kerehalli	46

Sanctioned.

27. Read No. 344, dated 31st October 1904, from President, Taluk Board, Shimoga, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 128 for road from the main road to the musafirkhana at Kudligere.

Sanctioned

28. Read letter No. 1079, dated 1st November 1904, from the President, Chamraj Memorial Hall, asking for an additional grant of Rs. 3,000 for the work.

Resolved that the amount applied for be granted, provision being made for it along with other works sanctioned above in a revised budget.

29. Read No. 2267, dated 29th October 1904, from the Senior Surgeon, regarding the opening of a Local Fund Dispensary at Holehonnur, Shimoga Taluk.

Resolved that the opening of this dispensary be approved of.

30. Read No. 894, dated 24th October 1904, from the Executive Engineer, Shimoga, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 1,401 for special repairs of a portion of Sagar-Avinhalli road.

The work is included in the estimate for Rs. 11,162 sanctioned for the road from Local Funds General (see next subject.)

Resolved that it is not necessary to sanction the estimate sent by the Executive Engineer.

31. Read the following Orders of Government:—

(1) Government Proceedings No. 1868-76—L. F. 42-92, dated 2nd September 1904, observing that it is undesirable that the ordinary repairs to 3rd class travellers' bungalows should be carried on by one agency and special repairs by another and directing that the present practice be continued, by which all the repairs to such bungalows are done by the Public Works Department.

(2) No. (2185-6)-85-2—L. B., dated 17th September 1904, sanctioning the list of the incomplete works of previous years.

(3) No. (3430-3) - 148-2, dated 27th October 1904, sanctioning Rs. 11,162 from Local Funds General for metalling the first seven miles of Sagar-Benhatti-Kollurghat road.

Recorded.

32. Resolved that another revised budget providing funds for works now approved of be sent up. The following being the modification suggested:—

		Rs.	a.	p.
Opening balance		59,969	11	7
Receipts estimated		91,494	0	0
Total		1,51,463	11	7

Expenditure.

		Rs.
A.	Original works Public Works Department—	
	Nyamti approach road	1,596
	Metalling road on tank bunds	2,494
	Special repairs of Godikoppa-Kallurkatte roads	1,968
	Honnali-Basavapatna road	3,000
	Metalling Ayanur-Honnali road	4,000
	Sulikere-Davangere road	3,000
	Causeway over Haridravati near Hasarmuggi	3,000
	Reserve	1,000
	Incomplete works	3,245
	Total	23,303
	Repairs	35,195
	Establishment	10,237
	Tools and plant	292
	Total A.	69,027
B.	Original Works—	
	Revenue Department	5,500
	Repairs	7 010
	Establishment	3,291
	Tools and plant	165
	Incomplete works	20,400
	Total B.	36,366
	Civil charges as already provided	25,208
	Contribution for the Memorial Hall	3,000
	Total C.	28,208
	Total A., B & C.	1,33,601
	Closing Balance	17,862
	Total	1,51,463

33. Next meeting will be held on the 4th February 1905.

M. S. NARAYAN RAO,
President, Dt. Fund Board.

LIST A.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to Tuesday the 20th December 1904, by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Shimoga, for the supply of Civil Hospital, Shimoga, from 1st January 1905 to 31st December 1905, both days inclusive.

2. No tender will be received after the date abovementioned.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Civil Hospital Shimoga."

4. No tender will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 150 in cash, currency notes or Government bonds.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Assistant Surgeon, at the Civil Hospital, Shimoga, on Tuesday the 20th December 1904, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend at 8 A.M. Forms in which tenders are to be submitted may be obtained from the Assistant Surgeon in charge, Civil Hospital, Shimoga.

6. The Assistant Surgeon reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. The deposit of the successful competitior will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash or Government bonds within three days from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

8. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the Medical Officer, in charge of the institution or in his absence, the Sub-Astistant Surgeon, as soon as possible after the first of each month.

9. The contractor must submit his bills in English or in Kanarese with translation in English for the cost of all articles, supplied with calculations correctly made by the 7th of each month. Persons who are unable to do this need not compete.

10. A store-room will be made over to the contractor, in which he can keep all non-perishable articles, and at least a month's supply of these should always be kept in the room. All perishable articles such as meat, tyre, etc., should be at the Civil Hospital by 8-30 A.M. at the latest daily. All articles except those mentioned otherwise should be of the first sort, and any article of diet, rejected should be replaced within an hour, if not the article may be purchased by the Assistant Surgeon in the bazaar and the contractor compelled to pay for it at bazaar rates and as well as defray cost of transit, etc. The contingent articles, etc., ordered should be supplied within 24 hours after the receipt of the order.

11. The contract must not be sub-let.

12. A fine not exceeding Rs. 20 will be levied at the discretion of the Medical Officer in charge of the institution, for every infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles; and if the stipulation of the contract be frequently violated, the contract will be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

13. The decision of the Officer in charge or of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, in his absence, to be final on all questions of the infringements of contract.

14. The sale at the contractor's room of any article to the outside public, is strictly prohibited.

15. The contracts will be subject to the confirmation by the Senior Surgeon, who reserves to himself the right of rejecting all or any of the tenders.

List of Diet and other articles with probable quantities required for one year (from 1st January to 31st December 1905 for the inmates of the Civil Hospital, Shimoga.

Articles.		Probable quantity.
FULL DIETS—(NATIVES). *Composition.*		200
	oz.	
Rice	20	
Dhal	1	
Ghee	½	
Curry powder	½	
Vegetables	6	
Mutton	4	
Firewood	24	
Salt	1	
Onions	½	
Tamarind	½	
Garlic	¼	
Tyre	4	
MILK DIETS—(NATIVES).		500
	oz.	
Rice	14	
Milk	40	
Sugar	2	
Firewood	20	
Soojee	7½	
Salt	¼	
HALF DIETS—(NATIVES).		5,000
	oz.	
Rice	16	
Dhal	1	
Firewood	24	
Ghee	½	
Curry powder	½	
Vegetables	6	
Salt	½	
Onions	½	
Mutton	4	
Tamarind	½	
Garlic	¼	
Tyre	4	

List of Diet and other Articles, etc.—*concluded.*

Articles.		Probable quantity.
ARTICLES FOR EXTRA DIETS.		
Milk	pts.	2,000
Coffee	oz.	300
Bread	lb.	300
Sugar	oz.	2,500
Rice	lb.	1,000
Ghee	„	10
Mutton	„	300
Soojee	„	300
Eggs	No.	500
Pepper	oz.	10
Garlic	„	5
Lemons	No.	50
Barley	lb.	2
Firewood	„	1,000
Arrowroot	„	1
Dhal	„	5
Tyre	„	5
Chicken	No.	5
WINE AND SPIRITS.		
Brandy	bots.	20
Arrack	„	60
HOSPITAL NECESSARIES		
Baskets	No.	20
Brooms	„	30
Chatties	„	20
Chimney glasses	„	12
Chunam	seers.	200
Cotton	lb.	20
Kerosine-oil	bots.	800
Lamp wicks	yds.	10
Do large	No.	5
Matchboxes	„	50
Mullays	„	200
Tar	lb.	20
Bandage cloth	yds.	300
Dressing cloth	„	300
Long cloth	yds.	50
Gingelly oil	bots.	120
Country soap	lb.	30
Europe soap	„	20
COUNTRY MEDICINES.		
Alum	lb.	3
Camphor	„	10
Chiretta	„	30
Pot. nitras	„	12
Senna	„	4
Sulphur	„	18
Ginger	„	4
Gum	„	15
Ammon. chloride	„	22
Ferri sulphas	„	5
Straw	„	105
Empty bottles	No.	100
Bamboo mats (in pieces)	„	2
Goa paper	qrs.	65
Cover paper	„	19
Nibs	No.	21
Pencils	„	4
Foolscap paper	qrs.	2
Coir rope	No.	3
Cupri sulph	lb.	1
Mustard	bots.	5
Ragi flour	lb.	20
Asafœtida	„	½
Dusters	No.	24
Vinegar	bots.	2
Soapnut	seers.	1
Borax	lb.	1
Pin, sheets	No.	5
Coir rope, small	„	7
Benzoin	seer.	1
Bratties, basketful	No.	1
Brass padlock	„	12
Cubebs	seers.	2
Wall lamps with glasses	No.	2
Sealing wax, sticks	„	6

N. B.—European Diet scale is omitted as there has not been any demand during the past 12 months or so; they will have to be substituted for Native Diets, if required, and that rarely. Baked bread to be substituted for soojee or rice or both, if any patient desires it. The rate of each of the articles constituting the several diets mentioned above, should also be given, milk in imperial pints per rupee and other articles in pounds and ounces per rupee.

W. SREENIVASIENGAR,
1st Class Asst. Surgn., Dist. Medl. & Sany. Officer.

CIVIL HOSPITAL CHITALDRUG.

Notification, dated —— December 1904.

M. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the above Hospital up to the 23rd December 1904 by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer for the supply by contract of all articles of Diet, etc., as per annexed list, required for the use of the above Hospital from 1st January 1905 to 31st December 1905.